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The Arizona Department of Agriculture's document indicates Tonopah is NOT included in the Ag BMP area... see pg 5....

[https://extension.arizona.edu/sites/extension.arizona.edu/files/attachments/1245-1315\\_VanLeuven\(UPDT\)\\_NRCS\\_Dust\\_Conference%20\(2\).pdf](https://extension.arizona.edu/sites/extension.arizona.edu/files/attachments/1245-1315_VanLeuven(UPDT)_NRCS_Dust_Conference%20(2).pdf)

The Maricopa County map showing the non-attainment area which is required to be under BMP (Again, Tonopah is NOT on this map either)

[http://www.azmag.gov/Documents/TIP\\_2013-10-23\\_PM10-Nonattainment-Area-Boundary-Map-with-Monitor-Locations-for-Maricopa-and-Pinal-Counties-Arizona.pdf](http://www.azmag.gov/Documents/TIP_2013-10-23_PM10-Nonattainment-Area-Boundary-Map-with-Monitor-Locations-for-Maricopa-and-Pinal-Counties-Arizona.pdf)

This appears to mean that the currently issued permits for the Tonopah and the Arlington Hickman's facilities, which rely on and defer to Ag BMP's, have illegal permit conditions, and always have. Since the facilities were required to get a valid air pollution permit before commencing construction, both facilities are now apparently illegally constructed.

Thank you for your time and attention to these matters.

Sincerely,

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